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The following has been received in the U.S. Patent Office on the date stamped hereon:

- Dep. Acct. Order Form
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Docket No. 214438US0RD
 IN RE APPLICATION OF: Masaaki ONOMURA, et al.
 SERIAL NO: 09/964,463
 FILED: September 28, 2001
 FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DIODE

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in the above-identified application.

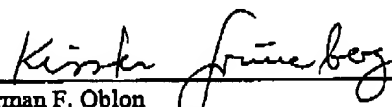
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